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BOWDEN ALBERTA, CAN. THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15 1912

PER YEAR 100

Suit Box Social

One of the most successful Box Socials and Dances in the history of the school was held at Summit last Friday night. The teacher Miss Thornley was the organizer of the event which was given to raise money for the purchase of an organ for the school. The weather was ideal for the occasion and several sleigh loads of young people went out to the school from Bowden. There was also a good representation from the Lone Pine and the surrounding districts. Mr. H. Rutledge auctioned off the baskets for which the bidding was very keen; the boys from Bowden running the price up. From the sale of the boxes the handsome sum of \$55.00 was realized. For those who did not secure boxes a supper was provided at a small charge.

The music which was of a very high standard was supplied by the Fredrickson and Deihl orchestra.

NISBET

Methodist Service in Nisbet Schoolhouse this Sunday at 2.30. subject; Church Union.

Mrs. Sannes and Mrs. Davies will lead the singing with violins.

St. Valentine Ball

One of the big society events of the season at Innisfail was the valentine ball given on Tuesday evening in the Grand Opera House. Invited guests to the number of one hundred and fifty were present, many coming from neighboring towns.

The hall was tastefully decorated with emblems suitable to the occasion, hearts being much in evidence.

The fine music, the splendid floor the excellent management, the beautifully gowned ladies, all combined to make it an event long to be remembered by those who attend.

The following were guests from outside points:

Mr. H. G. Didsbury; Mr. and Mrs. Duff, Mr. and Mrs. Walkerly, Miss Tobbes, Messrs. Bruce, Simmons and Dixon; Miss Haywards Olds; Mr. McKim and Miss Dixon and Mr. Dodge Bowden; Mr. McLean and Miss Keast, Red Deer; Mrs. Pecknold, Mr. Val Pecknold, Mr. U. Pecknold, Miss Pecknold and Mr. Duck, Big Bend; Miss Lundy, Heath; Miss Brown, Big Bend; Mr. and Mrs. Wynn, Mrs. Velge, Miss Velge and Mr. R. Velge, Klee Hill.

Local News

Stationery and post cards, always something new at Perrins.

F. H. Schooley is in town this week looking after business interests.

Allan Johnston of Hardisty stopped over between trains Friday for a visit at John Bernhards.

Mr. A. McLean and G. Mitchell and wife are Calgary visitors this week.

Mr. A. Munroe and Miss Ada Dargie of Innisfail were in Bowden on Tuesday.

New 1912 beautiful samples wall paper just to hand no trouble to show them all prices Perrins.

Mr. Jack and Fred Brewster are in town this week superintending a large shipment of freight to the Brazeau Colliers.

M. Mecklenburg A. M. the only university graduate eye specialist in Alberta will be at the Brewster House, Bowden, Friday March 1st.

Mr. A. McLean, E. Shenfield and G. F. Mitchell were in Edmonton last week investigating several real estate propositions.

Mr. S. Arnold who has spent a two weeks holiday at New Westminster and Vancouver returned home on Monday evening.

Mr. C. H. Turnbull of Rocky Mt. House was the guest Sunday and Monday of Mr. and Mrs. P. McDermott.

For 1912 Just to hand most beautiful samples of wall paper at Perrins. Call. No trouble showing them. All prices.

Mr. Wm. Campbell left on Saturday night for Holland, Man. where he will visit for two weeks. During his absence the elevator will be closed.

Just the thing you want Vol-Peek Granite Cement will mend holes in all kinds of Pots, Pans, and Boilers in two minutes, at a cost of less than half a cent per mend. Get it at Perrins 15 cts. a package.

Presbyterian Church services next Sunday will be held at 11.30 Lone Pine 3 p.m. Mr. H. C. McAusland will sing and give his life story "Why I left the Italian Opera" Don't fail to hear Mr. McAusland.

The monthly meeting of the Methodist church was held at the home of Mrs. Walton on Wednesday. The principle business was the forwarding of a check for \$50 to the Mission Board towards reduction of loan on parsonage.

A special service will be held in the Bowden Methodist church this Sunday evening at 7.30. Rev. Davies will speak on the important question of Church Union. The orchestra will lead the singing.

Mrs. Davies and Mr. Hunter will sing a duet. Everybody welcome.

Mr. H. E. Shenfield gave another practical educational lecture on the "Writing of a Business Letter" last Friday afternoon in the school. The lecturer demonstrated his address by means of model letters and business forms. At the end of his talk he invited questions which he fully answered. His remarks were greatly appreciated. Next Friday Mr. Wm. Hiltz will lecture on the Rotation of Crops.

ST MATTHEW'S CHURCH

Service every Sunday afternoon at 2.30 p.m. Communion the first Sunday in every month. Rev. McLean Barting, incumbent.

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FAMOUS PEOPLE

BY FANNIE M. LOTHROP



SIR ALFRED HARMSWORTH

The Publisher of Thirty-five Periodicals

The most successful newspaper publisher in the world is Sir Alfred Harmsworth, who owns thirty-five periodicals, seven of which are dailies, in the leading cities of England. He was born in Ireland in 1865, the eldest son of an English barrister, and was destined for the bar, but before he had completed his grammar school course he determined to be an editor, and though sentenced by his father to go to Cambridge, he succeeded in having this sentence reversed.

At seventeen he was installed as editor of one of Sir William Ingram's journals in the office of the "Illustrated London News." Four years later he married, and when twenty-three started his first paper, "Answers," a penny journal of popular information, and the foundation of his present fortune. The publication office was a small room, hardly large enough to draw a long breath in, and the four dollars a week he paid in rent was quite an item. The first number sold 13,000 copies; within a year it rose to 48,000, and four months later, by puzzles, schemes, guessing contests, prizes and clever and daring methods of winning publicity unknown to the conservative British press, the circulation rose to nearly three-quarters of a million. When the unappreciative government officials stopped the competitions the battle was already won and victory perched on the Harmsworth banners.

Then followed a long string of minor publications, until, in 1896, he bought the "Evening News," a paper with an unsullied record for failure, and by the Midas touch of Harmsworth it was on a paying basis in a few weeks. The next year he started the "Mail," an instant success, which now has the largest circulation of any paper in the world; sells five times as many copies as any other London daily and pays its editor—a man only thirty—a salary of \$125,000 a year.

No one in the employ of the firm, which comprises Sir Alfred and his six brothers, works more than five days a week; every one is granted a vacation each year, and if an employee desires to leave England and travel Sir Alfred pays half the expenses.

The Napoleon of Journalism owns half a dozen fine country houses besides his magnificent town house in Berkeley Square, and more than a dozen automobiles. He does everything on a large scale, and recently bought a tract of forest land in Newfoundland, half the size of Vermont, from which he will make all his paper to be carried to England in his own ships.

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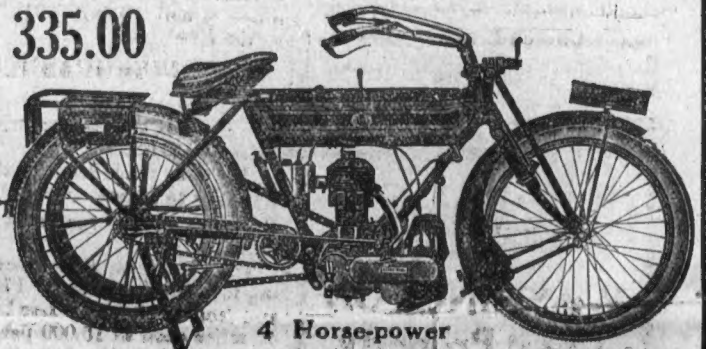
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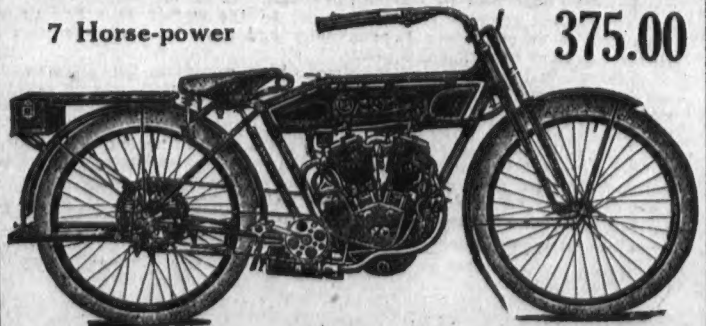
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Sifton's Railway Policy

The great event of the present Session of the Legislature took place Monday when Premier Sifton announced the Railway Policy of the Government.

By this policy 1800 miles of new railway lines are guaranteed to the Province, and all lying in new territory. When this policy is carried out there will be no great region left without railway facilities.

Taken in conjunction with the Government's good roads' Policy, the day is not far distant when most of the farmers in the Province will be close enough to a railway to haul their produce to the station and get back home the same day. The achievement of this end will work a revolution in the development of Alberta, and pushes our Province to the front rank.

THE LINES GUARANTEED

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On the road from Athabasca Landing to Peace River Landing 100 miles of that road at 15,000 per mile.

The road from Athabasca Landing to Fort MacMurray 175 miles, and from that line to Lac La Biche 40 miles each at 15,000 per mile.

The road north of the Saskatchewan river running towards St. Paul de Metis, 100 miles at 15,000 per mile.

The road running south of the Saskatchewan river through Bruderheim to the eastern boundary of the Province, 200 miles at 13,000 per mile.

The road running to the west of Calgary and Edmonton line to the west of Pigeon Lake, 100 miles at 15,000 per mile.

The extension of the Brazeau line southeasterly to the extension of the Goose Lake line of the Canadian Northern, 130 miles at 13,000.

The line from Calgary east of the Calgary and Edmonton line, 100 miles at 13,000.

And under the Canadian Northern charter the extension of the Goose Lake Branch of that railway from the eastern boundary of the province to the junction of Calgary Vegreville line at the crossing of the Red Deer river, 130 miles at 13,000.

The whole of these lines add up to 1405 miles of which, however, 150 are revotes covered by former guarantee under Federal characters so that the new lines amount to 1255 miles.

It is note-worthy that the effect of this policy will not only secure largely increased internal communication in Alberta, but secures an outlet east, west and south for the products of the farmer. The line known as the Edmonton, Dunvegan and British Columbia Railway will ultimately leave the province by the Peace river valley, traverse the Peace river pass and the valleys of the Parsnip down the valley of the Fraser to North Vancouver.

The Onoway line which will leave the province by the Pine river pass is said to have its ultimate terminal on the Portland Canal, Northern British Columbia. These two roads give Alberta direct connection with the Pacific Seaboard, as well as an outlet into the rich mining camps of British Columbia.

The line from Vermilion to Medi-

oine Hat, and those to the inter-provincial boundary will develop some of the finest wheat land in Western Canada, and give the people of this Province a new outlet to the south. Hitherto the only line of railway from the south which has served Alberta to any great degree has been the Soo branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Great Northern at Sweet Grass. The Goose Lake extension promises to be one of the greatest roads in western Canada, running from Calgary to Saskatoon via Kindersley. It serves a vast area of good hard wheat land, and will give railway facilities to thousands of farmers who have gone into this country within the last three years. The hopes of all the people of Alberta in the riches of the mineral deposits of the North, are to be realized by the projection of the C. N. R. to Fort Mac Murray. The development of the mineral wealth of the North will add a new phase to the industrial life of Northern Alberta and contribute largely to the public wealth.

The best thing about the Premier's announcement was that this policy is to be executed within four years, which means that over 400 miles per year will be built. This active policy will give a great stimulus to trade in the towns and cities of Alberta and afford a market for the products of the farmer as well as an extensive labor market for newcomers. It practically means that from 10 to 12,000,000 per year will be distributed among the farmers, trades people, and laborers of this province. Under such conditions good times will certainly prevail. There is probably no man in the Province who is better qualified by legal experience, courage, and determination, in following up the railway corporations to carry out their various agreements than the Hon. A. L. Sifton. The difficulty in the past all through Western Canada has not been to obtain the promises of the railways to build, but to have them actually grade and lay the rails and operate.

Applications for Seed Grain

In order to make use of seed grain available in frost-districts and to provide seed to the homesteader at lowest cost, distribution will be done as follows wherever practicable:—

Every homesteader requiring seed grain must make application to Mr. J. Bruce Walker, Commissioner of Immigration Winnipeg, stating the kind and amount of grain required. If seed grain of the kind the homesteader requires, of desirable quality can be purchased in his neighborhood the man who has this grain for sale will be supplied with a list of the orders he is to fill together with a lien form. The homesteader applying in that neighborhood will call on the man who owns the grain, present a duplicate order from Mr. Walker, sign the lien and get the grain. The seller will then send the signed lien duly executed and witnessed, to Mr. Walker, whereupon he will receive his cheque for the amount covered by the lien. It will be readily seen that in order to avoid delay and disappointment it is very important that the papers be absolutely correct in every detail.

When you buy of your home merchants you are helping the town and thereby sharing in the profits of your own purchase.

Few people have any idea what an incentive it is to both teacher and scholar to know that parents and outsiders are taking a lively interest in their work. We believe the "little folks" at school appreciate such interest more perhaps than the larger ones. Still the effect is not lost on any of them, and we hope every parent will take a hint from this and place the public school on their visiting list on Friday.

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CHAPTER VII.

The sexton unlocked the wooden gate which led into the church porch and asked Harry to seat himself within. It was evident that he relished having to relate the story of the tragedy, and that it was a task that he performed as frequently as possible.

"You bein' a stranger, sir," he began, "maybe you haven't heard tell of the Clavels o' Crayborne and Lyllyngton Court."

"Very little."

"In wold times 'tis said half Do'set belonged to 'em. But narn of 'em could save; they were all girt at feast-en' and spenden'. 'Tis said a Clavel rides to death," and that was their way in everythin'.

"I'm a Christian man, as you can see yourself, and I'm not afraid of wold wives' tales. But 'tis said that hereabouts, Bluff King Hal (him as had zoo many wives and made 'em shorter by a head) took Loders Abbey here, and drust out the monks had given it to Anee Boleyn's page that wur Anthony Clavel, the abbot he put a curse upon the Clavels. 'I gie the Clavels to the devil,' he says, 'an' I will see he gets en. For though they drive my body out, my spirit shall remain in Loders Abbey so long as there's a stane left on en.'"

"Is Loders Abbey near here?" Harry asked.

The sexton jerked his thumb over his shoulder.

"Half a mille away," he replied. "'Tis there the Lady Anne Daubeney is a-livin', poor soul!"

"How can she live there if it be to the Clavels?" Harry inquired in surprise.

"Lady Anne she rents it of the trustees, sir. An' there's a poor weapin' lady lives wi' her, 'tis said. But narn a man has been inside the lodge gates to see her. Only Anning, the farmer's brother, and the maids at the Abbey, that are all foreigners and papists, go inside, an' a priest who comes over from sea-combe. And there Lady Anne has lived for seven years amin mwoldering stanes."

"But tell me what happened seven years ago. Who was this Roger Clavel. Did you know him?"

"Know'n?" cried the old man shrilly. "O' course I knowed en! A dark-faced rascal, and wi' the Clavel eyes."

He paused and stared hard at Harry.

"Eyes anight like yours, sir," he said slowly, with a note of suspicion in his voice. "Bluey black, under black eyebrows, a-flashen' like steel. He wur a bad un 'e wur! His father, Sir Alan, was quiet, like one o' the best of en. But his granfer, wold Sir John, I mind him well! Every one was a-feared on en vor miles."

He druv one son off to sea, and his girl ran away to get married, and he broke the spirit o' his son, as wur Sir Alan after him. But even Sir John wur a match for his grandson, Roger Clavel."

"Is he alive?"

"No, no, sir! He's dead these seven years. Death on death came to Crayborne then. First it was the beauty of Lady Anne that made the trouble. Roger was twenty when her father, as wur Earl Newborough, died, and she wur sent to Sir Alan and Lady Clavel at Lyllyngton Court as her guardians. I mind her as I first zeed her, wi' long hair as yellow as gill'cups, an' eyes as blue as zummer skies. She wur at school abroad and only hwone for'n holidays. No school and no college would hold Roger. He wur allus up to 's pranks, and rantem hwone to skeer his parents, Lady Anne cou'den abide him. Na'r a nan in Do'set as zee her at eighteen and twenty, but he vell in love wi' her, an' I think wicked racketen' Roger Clavel he swore that she should never belong to any man but him."

"How did his parents take it?"

"Oh, parents mudden hold Roger. When Lady Anne wur twenty-one she come into her fortune, an' she chose among the young men who axed en in marriage the only son o' Mr. Denzil Warne, the master o' Vale House in Tynbarrow Vale. Vale House belonged once to the Clavels, but the Warnes bought the property; they wur girt at saven' as the Clavels at spendin', an'

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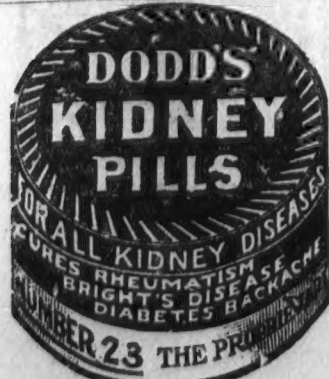
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GRAIN ACT MAY PROVIDE RELIEF FOR THE FARMERS

Explanation of the Provisions of the Measure Now Under Consideration at Ottawa--The Chief Problem is That of Transportation of Grain

Ottawa, Ont.—In the Commons, on the second reading of the grain act, Hon. G. E. Foster recited the various steps which had led up to the introduction of this legislation. The bill, he said, derives its importance from the subject from which it deals. It is based largely on the result of an investigation commenced in 1906 by a commission named to report on the grain trade of Canada. That commission traced the progress of wheat from the time it was sold by the farmer until it reached its destination in Europe.

The commission produced a report which had not often been surpassed for compactness and clearness. They reported against a sample market and in favor of strict supervision over Eastern elevators in order to insure the identity of the wheat. They were against ownership in addition to these recommendations. They suggested a number of amendments to the grain act.

In 1908, Hon. Mr. Foster said, a conference of all the interests concerned was held at Ottawa before the minister and the whole matter threshed out. As a result the grain and inspection act was strengthened by the inclusion of the principle laid down. Last year a large deputation came to Ottawa and as a result of further conferences a bill was introduced in the Senate and referred by that body to a special committee, which heard all parties concerned. The bill finally passed the Senate. Although an agreement was reached on most points there still remained some differences.

Hon. Mr. Foster said the measure now under consideration was the bill

which passed the Senate last session with some betterments. In considering its scope one was struck with the idea that no other country in the world has a system of grain inspection so complex and thorough as Canada. No other commodity is surrounded by so much legal restrictions. Whether this was for the best or not was a matter of opinion, but it is certain that there is still a large body of opinion which desires additional regulation.

After describing the protection given to the farmer in the sale and disposal of his crop, Hon. Mr. Foster said that it was hoped by the present bill to make the whole system as strong and thorough as it can be made. The main trouble which remained to be dealt with was one of transportation.

It was a serious obstacle to the removal of the crop that for several months of the year it could come out of the west over one line of railway only. Serious conditions had arisen in the West this year, and he was convinced that the railways had done their best. By patience and co-operation a solution of the difficulties would likely be brought about in due course.

In another year or two the N. T. R., which will double the transportation facilities, will be complete. Later on the Canadian Northern would have a transcontinental line, and in the course of a few years the Hudson Bay Railway would be built. He thought that there were great possibilities in the proposal to ship grain to Pacific waters. Much could be expected from this route once the Panama Canal is complete.

ALBERTA HAIL INSURANCE BILL

United Farmers Insist That It Shall be Administered by Government

Edmonton, Alta.—The new Hail Insurance Bill, now being passed through the Legislature, was discussed by a deputation of the United Farmers of Alberta with the Minister of Agriculture. The United Farmers insist that the hail insurance shall be governmentally administered. The bill in its present stage provides for private companies being permitted to do the insuring for hail risks as they do for fire, accidents, or any of the kinds of regular insurances.

The United Farmers insist that compulsory hail insurance be enacted throughout the province. This they now admit is neither desirable nor proper nor feasible.

The deputation, including Messrs. Tregulis, president of the organization, Bevington, of Stony Plain, and Scrivener, of Strathmore. These representatives are understood to have suggested that they would be satisfied if the new bill provided for a hail insurance which would be workable through the co-operative efforts of the government and municipalities. The municipalities would levy the necessary tax and revise the funds, which the government would administer. The municipalities would make the inspections of damage done and would collect the annual premiums, but the total funds would be invested and handled by the government. The United Farmers are said to want this. This means the scheme cannot go into effect until next year, for the rural municipalities would not be established until 1913. The Insurance Bill, which has passed its reading, but which has not been presented to the Legislature in printed form, may be delayed now until changes have been made to make it in accord with the wishes of the United Farmers. They insist that private companies shall not take their hail risks.

LINES GET TOO MUCH SCOPE

Bill Respecting C. N. R. Branches Allowed to Stand Over

Ottawa, Ont.—When the bill respecting Canadian Northern branch lines in the West came up for consideration in the railway committee, exception was taken to the description of several routes described in the bill as the lines of an agreement reached with the Legislature of Alberta. W. F. McLean and J. G. Turiff said that the descriptions were of too general a character. One line, it was pointed out, was to run to a point on Peace River. This would mean that it could touch any point on the whole length of that waterway.

Hon. Frank Cochrane, minister of railways, was disposed to agree with the contention that the routes were too loosely described. He said that the company take the matter up with the western government concerned. The bill was allowed to stand over.

During consideration of a bill to incorporate the Pacific Trans-Canada railway, H. H. Stevens, member for Vancouver, moved that none but white labor be employed on the section of the line to be constructed in British Columbia. Chairman Lennox said that such a ruling could not be applied to one railway. A general rule would have to be made for all railway companies.

Magnet for Homesteaders

Moose Jaw, Sask.—A striking collection of facts and timely information is presented in the publicity literature of the Moose Jaw board of trade now being sent out. In summing up the seven best reasons for locating in Moose Jaw the following statements are made: Moose Jaw is the industrial centre of Saskatchewan; it is the railway centre of the province; it is the largest manufacturing centre of the province; it is the site of the largest wholesalers; a vast shipping territory is dependent upon it as a base of supplies; it has easy access to market; and finally it possesses superior facilities for educational and social advancement. It is also noted that of the total homestead entries throughout the mid-western provinces, over one-fourth were registered in Moose Jaw; while something like seven out of every nine pre-emptions made in the two provinces of Manitoba and Saskatchewan were made at this point.

A Handsome Testimonial

Ottawa, Ont.—A handsome testimonial of their regard for Sir Wilfrid Laurier was recently made by the Liberals of the Yukon, on behalf of whom Mr. Fred Congdon, ex-M. P., presented Sir Wilfrid with an address and gold desk set in behalf of his northern admirers. The articles are unique. There is a paper cutter of solid gold, with a northern scene worked out in gold upon the handle. A golden sun is shown rising behind hills of gold, about the feet of which spruce is growing and a silver river running with miners' cabins planted along it, and a big moose coming down for a drink. There is a gold ink bottle and the address is contained in a moose skin case which has pick, shovel and pan burned upon it. From the pan nuggets of real gold are spilling.

Ovation to Shuster

London.—W. Morgan Shuster received a remarkable ovation, and his claim for Persian independence was enthusiastically cheered at a banquet which the Persian committee, composed of members of the House of Commons and other prominent men, gave in honor of the American ambassador-general of Persia at the Savoy Hotel.

THE PANAMA CANAL

Sir D. Mann Predicts Far-Reaching Effect of Canal on Western Canada

Vancouver, B. C.—In an interview here recently Sir Donald Mann said: "It occurs to me that the opening of the Panama canal will exert a more profound far-reaching effect on the development of Western Canada than is generally realized. That a large traffic will flow westward through the gateway to the Coast cities is certain. It will tend to stimulate their growth as distributing centres and will bring them in touch with a wider area of country. Vancouver will be the port of import for a very considerable portion of the Prairie Provinces. Now it is inevitable that this business will be encouraged by the trans-continental railways, which will be in a position to handle it, as they are certain to carry enormous quantities of export grain to Vancouver and other points on this coast. I see no reason why the surplus wheat crop of all Alberta, the Peace River district and at least one quarter of Saskatchewan should not seek an outlet via the Pacific and the Panama canal. If you will look at the map you will notice that Battleford, away up in Northern Saskatchewan, is just about equally distant from Port Arthur and Vancouver. This traffic is bound to increase at a rapid rate, especially in view of the rapid influx of settlers now in progress. Our main line, with its low, easy grades, enabling trains of forty or fifty cars to be hauled by one engine in either directions will be in an exceptional position to do business.

A Trip to Winnipeg Bonspiel

Are you going to the Winnipeg Bonspiel? It is seemingly one of the main questions of the day, and judging by reports a record crowd will gather at Winnipeg for the event this winter.

There is no doubt but that everyone who is enabled to attend will pack their grip for ten days' recreation, amusement and business, and that Winnipeg will hum with visitors. The Bonspiel itself will be a notable one; the Scottish Curlers from the Old Land invading some thirty-five strong, besides the rinks from Dawson City, St. Paul, Duluth, Vancouver and Eastern Canada, and with facilities increased by six extra sheets of ice of the Union Terminals Club's splendid rink, makes a grand total of forty-one sheets of ice, or forty-one games simultaneously.

Visitors will however have other attractions to spend their extra hours at, with twenty-five theatres and motion picture shows, horse racing on ice, senior amateur hockey, etc.

The Kennel Club Meet, Poultry Show and some fifteen conventions, Agricultural, Fraternal and business, will all be in full swing during the ten days; so it surely will be a trip worth taking.

The Curler's headquarters will be at the Union Terminals Rink on Water Street, which many will remember as the former Canadian Northern Depot.

The Canadian Northern Railway is offering single fare for the round trip, and tickets will be on sale from February 10th to February 14th, inclusive; return limit February 22nd, from all their stations, Regina, Saskatoon, Alaskan, Prince Albert and East so that with such cheap rates and such a variety of attractions, one will no doubt meet many friends in Winnipeg during the 'Spiele.

ABDICTION OF THRONE

Conditions Under Which Manchu Dynasty Will Cease to Rule

Peking.—It is understood that immediate abdication of the throne has been decided on as a result of the conference between the Empress Dowager, Prince Chun, the ex-Regent and Prince Ching, the ex-Premier, in accordance with the conditions laid down by the Republicans, namely that the imperial family and princes are to retain their empty titles, reside in Peking or elsewhere at their pleasure, and receive an annual pension aggregating three million taels (\$2,000,000) and that the transference of power will be effected with as little loss of dignity to the Throne as possible.

The Empress Dowager has summoned a cabinet to arrange the details of abdication. Premier Yuan Shi Kai, in a statement to the newspapers, avers his readiness to accept almost any solution which will ensure peace. He has no fear for the country's future, he says, if the settlement is the fruit of reason, truth and justice.

Yuan Shi Kai further says that he has no ambition to become the president of the new republic and only desires the establishment of a stable government.

Official Time of Mourning at Ottawa

Ottawa, Ont.—Owing to the death of the Duke of Fife, his excellency the governor-general, and her highness, the Duchess of Connaught, will attend no public functions for one month. The engagement to visit Montreal is therefore cancelled.

The foregoing bulletin was given out at Government House relative to the official period of mourning for the Duke of Fife, brother-in-law of his majesty, the king.

The Manitoba Bonspiel.

The twenty-fourth annual bonspiel of the Manitoba Curling Association will be held in Winnipeg from February 8th to 19th. The Canadian Pacific Railway will sell tickets from Port Arthur, Saskatoon, Outlook, Moose Jaw, North Portal and all intermediate stations at one way first class fare for the round trip from February 10th to 14th inclusive, good for return until February 22nd. Full information may be had from any Canadian Pacific Ticket Agent.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

LESSON VI.—FIRST QUARTER, FOR FEB. 11, 1912.

Text of the Lesson, Luke II, 40-52

Memory Verses 46, 47—Golden Text, Luke II, 49, R. V.—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

After the visit of the wise men, bringing their treasures of gold and frankincense and myrrh, Joseph was directed by the Lord's angel to take the young child and his mother and flee into Egypt and abide there till he should bring them word. It has helped me much to notice and to remember that before they were sent to Egypt, the money was on hand to cover their need, and I do firmly believe that the Lord provides for all that He wants done. The wise men presented their gifts to the child, so it was the child's money that took them all to Egypt and took care of them. They need have no anxiety as to when to leave Egypt, for the angel said that he would bring them word, and he did (Matt. I, 13-23). We may be sure of guidance also if we have no will of our own and are wholly submitted to God (Ps. xxxi, 8; Isa. xxx, 21). Note in those verses in Matthew the three Scriptures that were fulfilled, and let us not forget that all things which have been written concerning Him must be fulfilled.

Our lesson today begins and ends with a statement concerning the child's growth both physically and in wisdom also. He was a partaker of real flesh and blood and grew in many respects as other children do, but we must always think of Him as being specially controlled by the Holy Spirit, for what was true of John the Baptist must have been true of Him also (chapter I, 15). There were three annual feasts at Jerusalem, at which all males must appear (Ex. xxiii, 14-17), and the passover was the first, and this was His first passover. It seems from I Sam. I, 7-9, that women went to these feasts also, and our lesson plainly teaches that Mary accompanied Joseph. We may not be able to say whether at this time He fully understood his own identification with the feast according to I Cor. V, 7, "Christ our passover is sacrificed for us," but my own conviction is that He always knew more than many are willing to believe. We cannot grasp the wondrous statement that all things were created by Him and for Him, that He created Adam and Eve, provided the coats and skins for them after they had sinned, walked with Enoch, talked with Noah, dined with Abraham, instructed Moses about the passover and all else; but, though we cannot understand, we can believe, and through faith we understand. There are wonderful things about the number twelve and every other number which will yet be unfolded to us (verse 42). In this case it may have been just the age when a boy kept his first passover, but we will see more when we are known as we are known (I Cor. xiii, 12).

The feast being over, the people started for their homes in every part of the land, and probably a great multitude were together for the first part of the journey northward. At the close of the first day each company would make sure that their number was complete before starting farther on their journey, and then it was that Joseph and Mary discovered that their precious boy was missing. And we may imagine the eager but unavailing search among kinsfolk and acquaintances and the sorrowful heart that probably could not sleep that night even if they sought to rest. It may be that they started back to Jerusalem immediately on ascertaining their loss and spent the night journeying. Only those who ever had a child stray away can think how they felt and talked. Then the three weary days of searching for Him in the city and the hopelessness and heartache at the close of each day—we cannot but wonder if they prayed to Him who is perfect in knowledge, who knoweth even our own thoughts (Job xxxvi, 4; Ps. cxxxix, 1-4). If they knew Him as they might have known Him we think they would have said, "Let us go right to the temple, for we will surely find Him there." Did He not imply that when He said to them after they did find Him in the temple: "How is it that ye sought Me? What ye not that I must be about My Father's business?" (Verse 49). Revised version and margin, "In My Father's house," or "In the things of My Father." He certainly knew who He was, and we are not surprised that the rabbis were astonished at His understanding and answers as He sat in their midst, listening to them and asking them questions. How He must even at that age, have opened to them the Scriptures. We would like to know whose home was honored with His presence and who was privileged to care for Him those two or three days, but it is more important to lay to heart those first words of His as Son of Mary, the first recorded words, "I must be about My Father's business."

If we are not constantly in the things of our Father we are on the side of the enemy, for it must be the world or the Father, and they are opposed the one to the other (I John II, 15-17). Contrast the "supposition" of Joseph and Mary (verse 44) with the "most surely believed" and "certainty" of chapter I, 1, 4, and let us have done with all supposition and "know" and "be fully persuaded" (II Tim. I, 12). Though they understood not His sayings, Mary kept them in her heart and pondered them (verses 10, 50, 51).

The Reason.

"What do you suppose attracted that dove-eyed girl to such a man?" "I don't know, unless it was that he was pigeon-toed."

CIVIL WAR BEFORE HOME RULE

So Says Henry Chaplin, Referring to the Situation in Ulster

London, Eng.—Henry Chaplin, referring to the situation in Ulster, congratulated Sir Edward Carson, Lord Londonderry, and Ulster men for their noble stand in the cause of Union. He made it clear that despite the conspiracy to break up the constitution and emasculate the house of lords, home rule, without a direct mandate from the people, will never be carried without civil war in Ireland. The government forgot to reckon on with the courage and patriotism of Ulster. In conclusion he said:

"I believe the leaders of the Ulster party have killed home rule before its birth, and that it will be found to be still-born."

Following Mr. Chaplin, Austin Chamberlain said that if the claim for home rule was good, then the claim for separate treatment for Ulster was equally good. Account must be taken of the difference of the history between the two sections of the Irish people, or the home rule bill would be useless. The history of the Irish parliament was an inglorious one. It gave the people no peace or prosperity. In short, there is no practical grievance to which they can point today that justifies their demand for breaking partnership with the united parliament.

BUILDING LE PAS BRIDGE

Two Remaining Piers of Hudson Bay Bridge Will be Completed by March.

Le Pas, N.W.T.—On the Hudson Bay railway bridge considerable preparatory work has been achieved. The engines have been closed in as well as the concrete mixer and the gravel tract. The pile drivers are almost in working position. Two more weeks should see everything in readiness and by the end of March the two piers that remain to be erected should be completed. The force of the Saskatchewan current can be judged by the fact that considerable steel piling on the last pier's caisson has been either torn off or badly bent by the rushing waters of last summer.

MAY ENLARGE RAILWAY BOARD

Ottawa Citizen Prints Semi-Official Story to This Effect

Ottawa, Ont.—The Evening Citizen says: "It is doubtful if all legislation respecting the railroad commission is introduced this session, but when it is brought down, it will in all probability, be to enlarge the present board. The idea of creating a western commission as intimated some time ago is objectionable because of the conflict with the board in the east. By enlarging the membership, however, there will be sufficient commissioners to thoroughly cover the territory."

Ministers Oppose Hindu Request

Ottawa, Ont.—The government is in receipt of protests from the ministerial association of Vancouver against the admitting of wives of Hindus into Canada. The report of F. C. Blair, the special commissioner who was sent to the coast to study the subject, is expected very shortly. Until his report is received no action will be taken in regard to admitting the wives of two Hindus who have already arrived at the coast.

SINGLE TAX IN ALBERTA

Cities Will Soon All be on That Basis—Provincial Legislature Expected

Edmonton, Alta.—The introduction of the single tax may be made widespread in the province by the anticipation that the government may bring down a bill in the legislature enacting that form of taxation for villages. It is understood that nothing has been decided as yet. The suggestion that single taxation be applied to villages, has, however, met with considerable favor from some members of the cabinet.

This would seem to be the next most logical move in the present trend in the province toward general single taxation. Edmonton has had it for some years. Calgary will, through its gradual reductions of 25 per cent., gradually reach single taxation within a few years. Medicine Hat practically has accomplished it. This means that within a few years all cities in the province will be on the single tax basis, and probably legislation to that effect will be introduced into the legislature in a year or two.

Dairy Industry to be Developed

Regina, Sask.—Close observers state that the growth of the dairy and cattle industries in Southern Saskatchewan has not kept pace with industrial development in other lines; and the belief is freely expressed that there are vast unrealized opportunities in this somewhat neglected field. It is noted, for instance, that at no time of the year is there a surplus of milk, cream or butter to be found in the Regina markets; while during the winter months there is often a marked tendency to shortage. The Dominion Dairy and Produce Co., Ltd., recently organized here, is regarded as the most feasible solution of present difficulties. The company has acquired 960 acres of land, and will produce all its dairy products under the most sanitary conditions, being equipped with up-to-date pasteurizing and butter-making plants, designed to handle an adequate output at all seasons of the year.

Railways Centre at Red Deer

Red Deer, Alta.—Six railways operating through this point in the early months of the future would seem to assure the position of Red Deer as the logical supply centre for an area of country extending at least 200 miles both east and west. This railway development is already in progress, as is evidenced by the rapid advance of construction work on the new Moose Jaw-Vancouver line which is to have its headquarters at Red Deer; on the easterly line from Red Deer to Saskatoon; on the Canadian Northern short line from Strathcona; as well as on several other lines whose rights of way are now being graded in the near vicinity. Local real estate men and others are laying their plans for a season of unprecedented activity.

Lemons in Manitoba.

Arden, Man.—John McCurdy's annual crop of lemons is maturing finely. The fruit is now in all stages of development from blossom to maturity.

Hold Military Schools in Alberta

Ottawa, Ont.—Provisional schools of military instruction will be held at Calgary for three weeks, commencing April 1, and at Edmonton commencing April 22.

Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations

COAL mining rights in the Dominion of Manitoba and Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories and British Columbia may be leased for a term of up to 99 years at an annual rental of \$1.00 per acre. Not more than 200 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the land is situated or is situated.

Unsurveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections and in surveyed territory the track applied for shall be staked out.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of \$5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mines shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns monthly, accounting for the full quantity of coal mined, and the mine and pay the royalty as assessed. Mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only but, the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of \$1.00 an acre per annum, in prospecting by recognized methods, must be incurred.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY
Deputy Minister of the Interior

Synopsis of Canadian North West Land Regulations

ANY person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties.—Six months residence upon and cultivation of land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader is good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$400 per acre.

Duties.—Must reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn home homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$300 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.00.

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The Prize Essays

Bowden, Alta. 9th Feb. 1912

Messrs Richmond and Smith
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I learn through to days issue of the "Telegram" you require the services of a junior clerk.

I beg to offer myself for the position.

I may say I have just passed the sixth standard examination but have had no practical experience in office work. My standing in class work however, leads me to hope that I may fill the position to your entire satisfaction and should you honor me with the appointment I will endeavor to merit and win your entire confidence and approval.

I am

Yours obediently
Thomas Campbell

Bowden, February 9 1912

Richmond and Smith,
Toronto,

Dear Sirs;

In today's telegram I see you advertise for a clerk and I would like to have the job. I have just left school and altho this will be my first job in this line I know I can do the work you want done.

Shall be glad to hear from you at an early date.

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James Cary

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BRINE HOWARD'S

On Friday the 6th inst Mr. H'E Shenfield delivered a very interesting speech on "The writing of a business letter." Before starting the main subject he made clear some points which he had found to be neglected the previous week on the crossing of a check by the pupils.

There are three kinds of correspondence; social, business and legal letters. In social correspondence there is a great deal of latitude allowable, but in business and legal letters we must write nothing that is untrue for years afterwards the letter might be brought up as evidence against us if we happened to be in business difficulties. Another thing we must not do is to bring social correspondence in the same

letter as we have business correspondence for one would feel humiliated if some little thing they had written to a friend was read in court. Therefore we must remember to keep business correspondence strictly business.

We must also remember that neatness is as important as accuracy.

Supposing that two boys Thomas Campbell and James Cary are applying for a position as clerk and their letters are the same as nos 1 and 2. In the first place Thomas Campbell began the letter properly he did not mix the day of the month with the number of the year; he also addressed the firm in a gentlemanly way writing Messrs Richmond and Smith where Jas. Cary only put Richmond and Smith.

The second letter is quite rude and is full of foolish assurance for the boy would not know if he could do the work or not until he knew what he was to do.

The first letter is quite polite and courteous and can be divided into four headings; first the object second the application, third the qualifications and lastly the respectful ending. In this case the letter was the only means Messrs Richmond and Smith had of judging the applicants therefore we can easily see that Thomas Campbell would get the job instead of James Cary.

A business letter should be written in good plain writing leaving flourishes and flowery words for novelists.

The stationery should be plain not scented or with gimped edges. There are three sizes commonly used by business men; correspondence foolscap tablet size and social correspondence size. We should fold a sheet of foolscap and then fold it over again using a foolscap envelope.

The tablet size paper we fold in centre and fold it thrice while the smaller size we just fold twice; for these two sizes use a business envelope.

When we ship goods we should write the same kind of a letter as no. 3. Business firms should deal with each on an equal. Per pro means for or on behalf.

In writing a business letter we must be clear and concise but not abrupt. Begin correctly and end courteously and keep social matter out of business letters.

MABEL CAMPBELL'S

When you start writing a business letter you must always remember that you are to write carefully and state matters clearly. We may say there are three styles of correspondence business, legal and social. If you are writing a business letter and not mix it up with social affairs.

The first thing is the place in which you live, on the same line the date afterwards the month. If you put the month first and after it the date. The date and the year are apt to get mixed up like Feb. 9 1912. You now put the name of the person which you are writing to and the town that the person lives in. It is more correct to say "Gentlemen" instead of "Dear Sir". There are four parts to a letter first the object the qualification, the application and last the respectful ending of the letter. If you should receive a discourteous business letter that shows that the person was cross reply as courteous as possible.

In a business letter you must always state clearly and use as few words as possible. Small words are always better because they are easier to spell and explain exactly. In the third example we learn that by express today was forwarded 6 boxes of creamery butter to a certain address, charges paid, and that the order was dated the

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HER DAUGHTER SAVED

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31st, and we also learn that an in-
voice was sent. Business letter
should consist of just a few lines
but written in a concise manner.
In that example six or seven arti-
cles were told in a few lines. The
reason for the six boxes being writ-
ten and then in figures is to explain
the number in case either of the
figures be misunderstood.

In folding a paper many mistakes
are made. A tablet page is the
best size of a paper to use; you
catch the bottom of the paper and
double it in half the part left over
should be doubled in three parts.
If you use a foolscap size (double
it in half again; it should always
be put in a larger envelope than
the tablet size. In a business let-
ter perfumes should not be used.
They are only used by the boys to
their girls.

Envelopes are just as important
as the letter itself. You must al-
ways write straight and start about
two thirds from the top. The writ-
ing should slant from the left top
corner down to the right bottom
corner.

MARJORIE SHENFIELD'S

A business letter is a letter
written to a person or a company
on business matters only. It is
not advisable to mix business and
social matters in one letter. Be-
cause if there was a dispute about
the business some time and the
letter was brought out there might
be uncomfortable things resulting.
A person is often judged by his
correspondence. If you wrote an
untidy hand it would be harder for
you to get a position than a man
writing a neat hand.

The date is written on one line
in the first letter with a comma
after Bowden, and a period after
Alta, and the date of the month
is put before the month so to
keep the date separate from the
year. The name of the people the
boy is applying for his position is
put at the top under the date on the
left hand side. In writing to at-
tirm he puts Messrs to show he was
addressing more than one. In writ-
ing a letter put the people you are
addressing at the top not at the
not at the bottom as you address
them in conversation before you
start telling them what you are
going to.

In the line under the persons
name put the name of the town
they are living in, and province.

It is more correct to begin with
"Gentlemen" not "Dear Sirs".

In the first paragraph he tells
about the cause of his writing the
letter. He says he saw in the Tele-
gram that Richmond and Smith
wanted to hire a junior clerk for
office work.

He is truthful in his letter, ends
it well and it is neatly written.

The second letter is badly writ-
ten and his language is not as easily
understood as the language in the
first.

The third letter is a business
letter from the White Swan cream-
ery company to Messrs Thomson,
Little and Co. Ltd. They put a
comma after Alta, and after 9th is
a period and after 1912 a period.
The Company to whom they are
writing to is put under the date on
the left side of the paper. The
White Swan creamery Co also ad-
dress the people as Messrs. There
are seven parts; the first part they
say they sent by express today and
in the second part that it was sent
to their address; the third part says
the charges were paid; and the
fourth part says they sent 6 boxes
of butter.

The fifth part tells what day the
letter which they received was
dated and in the sixth part says

they want the money in thirty days.
The last part is the closing of the
letter.

When you write a business letter
don't use tinted or perfumed paper.

The paper now used is folded in
two and afterwards into three parts.

The paper that used to be used
you fold into three parts and put
into the envelope.

The foolscap paper is folded in
two parts and again into two parts.

These three papers have differ-
ent envelopes.

In writing the address on the
envelope begin about two third
from the top.

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